

NOTICE TO BIDDERS TOWNSHIP OF LONG HILL

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Township Administrator of the Township of Long Hill in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, in the courtroom located in the Municipal Building at 915 Valley Road, Gillette, New Jersey on Wednesday April 8, 2015 at 1:00 p.m., prevailing time, and at that time and place publicly opened and read for the

SKYLINE PUMP STATION PUMP REPLACEMENT PROJECT

In 2011 the Township of Long Hill upgraded the sewage pumping station to increase the capacity from approximately 450 to 600 gallons per minute. As part of that upgrade new submersible dry pit pumps (two), a standby generator, automatic transfer switch, comminutor, new electrical service, and pump controls were installed. Since that upgrade the Township has experienced issues with the dry pit submersible pumps. As a result, the pump station is currently running on bypass with two temporary pumps directly outside of the building and corresponding suction lines drawing flow from the manhole upstream of the wet well. The work under this contract is primarily (but is not limited to) mechanical work to install two new two-stage high head dry pit pumps, new piping between the wet well and dry pit, new piping and valves in the dry pit to accommodate the new pump configuration. Electrical work consists of connecting the new pumps to existing electrical at mid-level in the dry pit and at the ground level motor control center, and disconnection of the temporary bypass pumps. Structural work consists of crack repair, mounting pump bases, hatch retrofits, repair of cracks and modifications to the dry pit/wet well common wall to accommodate new piping. The contractor will be required to perform start-up of the modified pump station and bring the station back into normal service. In order to afford prospective bidders the opportunity to inspect the pump station, a pre-bid meeting at the pump station site is scheduled for Wednesday March 25, 2015 at 1:00 PM.

Plans and specifications and proposal forms are on file and open to public inspection at the Township Clerk's office and may be obtained at the office of the Township Engineer located at 180 Main Street, Chester, New Jersey, (908) 879-6209, between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm, prevailing time, Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays, upon payment of \$45.00, payable to Ferriero Engineering, Inc., said sum not refundable, beginning on Thursday March 12, 2015.

Each bid must be made on the prescribed forms furnished with the Contract Drawings and Specifications, including Non-collusion Affidavit, and must be accompanied by a Consent of Surety and a Certified Check, Cashier's Check or Bid Bond of not less than ten (10%) percent of the amount bid, and not to exceed \$20,000.00.

Bids may be submitted by mail, but will be considered only if received on or before such date and time. The Township will not assume responsibility for bids forwarded through the mail if lost in transit at anytime before the bid opening. No bids will be received after the time set forth above.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of PL 1975, c.127 (NJAC 17:27), and PL 1977, c.33. Bidders are required to comply with the New Jersey Business Registration Certificate Law, P.L. 2004,c. 57. Bidders are required to comply with the Public Works Contractor Registration Act, P.L. 1999,c. 238.

The Township reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive immaterial informalities, and/or to accept the bid which, in the opinion of the Township, will be in the best interest of the Township, all in accordance with the New Jersey Public Contract Law N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et. seq.

By order of the Township Committee of the Township of Long Hill

Cathy Reese, Township Clerk